



Holiday Campaign

The mission of the Marine Toys for Tots Holiday Program is to collect new, unwrapped toys, books, and other gifts and distribute them to less fortunate children at Christmastime.



Local campaigns are conducted in over 830 communities in all 50 states, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, and the Virgin Islands.



Marines and volunteers collect and distribute toys, books, and other gifts to children in need in local communities from 1 October- 24 December.



The donated gifts are distributed to children in need to ensure they have at least one present to open on Christmas morning.

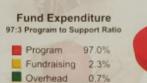
Community members drop new, unwrapped toys in collection boxes in their local area. The toys are then sorted by age and gender and prepared for distribution.

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National Corporate Sponsors and Donors support the Program by making sizeable donations or conducting marketing initiatives that give significant visibility to the Program and national and/or local levels. Coordinators, with the assistance of volunteers and local organizations, distribute the donated gifts to children in need throughout their local communities.

Local businesses play a key role during campaign season by providing warehouse space; placing toy collection boxes in their business establishments; providing vehicles to gather donated toys from collection bins; sponsoring local Toys for Tots events; and promoting local campaign efforts.

In 2022, the Marine Toys for Tots Program distributed over <u>24.4 million</u> toys, books, and games to nearly <u>10 million</u> children in need.









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The Hollywood Christmas Parade proudly presents legendary celebrities who make a positive difference in our lives. It is our pleasure to highlight their spectacular achievements this holiday season.

Jeremy Renner is an award-winning actor and dedicated philanthropist whose commitment to giving back is as integral to his identity as his celebrated film roles. In 2023, he founded the RennerVation Foundation, a youthfocused nonprofit dedicated to creating meaningful opportunities for children in foster care and at-risk youth. The foundation's mission is to foster joy, growth, and a strong sense of belonging, offering these young individuals experiences and resources that allow them to embrace the fullness of childhood. With memorable performances in films including The Hurt Locker and the Avengers series, as well as in the hit TV show Mayor of Kingstown, Renner has increasingly channeled his influence toward philanthropy. Through educational support and enriching experiences, the RennerVation Foundation strives to empower disadvantaged youth by giving young people the chance to flourish and dream. (RennerVationFoundation.org)





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MARIO LOPEZ is the consummate entertainer. The 2-time Emmy winner, just received a star on the iconic Hollywood Walk of Fame. Mario is the host of NBC's Access Hollywood, & Access Daily. He concurrently hosts the national iHeart radio programs On with Mario & Courtney Lopez and iHeartRadio Countdown with Mario Lopez. Mario produced and stars in the holiday movie, Once Upon a Christmas Wish alongside his wife Courtney and son Dominic. The film will premiere December 7th on The Great American Family channel. A constant presence on the pop culture scene for almost 4 decades and a legion of fans across the board. Actor, NYT Best Selling author, producer and host, Lopez's prolific career has made him one of the most sought-after personalities in entertainment today. Some of Lopez's acting credits include This Is Us, Jane the Virgin, and Nip/Tuck among many others. In 2008, Mario Lopez made his Broadway debut as Zach in the revival of A Chorus Line where he met his wife, Courtney. Mario and Courtney have three adorable kids, Gia, Dominic and Santino and two dogs, Salvador & Oscar.

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HOLLYWOOD PARADE TIMELINE

		The very first parade consisted of one actress,	1001		Twenty years later, Roy Rogers and Dale Evans
1928		Jeanette Loff, and REAL Reindeer pulled a sleigh carrying Santa Claus down Hollywood Boulevard to start the Christmas Season	1981		return as Grand Marshals
1931	•	In 1931, a truck pulled float replaced the live reindeer pulled sleigh	2000	•	Santa makes his 70th trip down Hollywood Blvd.
1932	•	Bette Davis, Evelyn Venable and Mary Pickford were a few of the celebrities who continued the tradition	2005		After many dedicated years, Johnny Grant steps down as Executive Producer
1942	•	During World War II, the Parade was suspended from 1942 to 1944	2007	•	Santa encourages patrons to "Go Metro"
1945	•	A model reindeer soared through the clouds over a miniature village while a machine made artificial snow and pulled Santa's carriage.	2009	•	Parade once again is named The Hollywood Christmas Parade
1946		Gene Autry, riding his horse in the parade, heard the children yelling, "Here Comes Santa Claus,	2014	•	Grand Marshal Stevie Wonder performs as the show is broadcast on The CW Network
1710		Here Comes Santa Claus!" And with that a favorite Christmas song was born	2016	•	The Hollywood Christmas Parade celebrates 85 years!
1948	•	Bill Welsh broadcasted the first televised Santa Claus Lane Parade in Los Angeles	2017	•	Village People celebrate 40 years of music to a sold out crowd and to millions of viewers nationally and globally!
1950		Such celebrities as Ernest Borgnine and Danny Thomas graced the streets of Hollywood as the Grand Marshals	2020		For the 2nd time in history, the Parade was shut down due to the COVID-19 pandemic
1974		Santa Claus Lane Parade officially changes its	_ = = _ = =		dominate to the dovid 19 pandenne
19/4		name to Hollywood Christmas Parade	2022	•	The Hollywood Christmas Parade celebrates 90 years!

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DEAN CAIN

Dean Cain is something of a modern-day Renaissance Man. A world-traveler, he has done charity and other work in all four corners of the globe. After graduating from Princeton University with a degree in history, and playing a short stint in the NFL, Dean has continued to defy stereotypes by constantly expanding his range and influence. Perhaps bestknown for his turn as Superman in the 1990's. Dean has acted. written, and produced over 100 films and maybe a thousand hours of television, including Out of Time opposite Denzel Washington, The Broken Hearts Club with Drew Barrymore and Owen Wilson, God's Not Dead, and hosted Ripley's Believe It Or Not (4 seasons), The Today Show, Fox and Friends, GDLA, and guest starred in everything from Beverly Hills 90210 to Law and Order SVU, and Criminal Minds. Dean has starred in a dozen Hallmark films, and continues to be a soughtafter actor-writer-producer-host. He is a single father to the light of his life, his son, Christopher.



LAURA McKENZIE

Laura McKenzie is the number one television travel expert in the country. She has received dozens of awards including two Emmy nominations and a Gracie Award for her syndicated television series, Laura McKenzie's Traveler. She's written and produced 42 home videos on travel and appears on the CBS Morning Show, Discovery Channel, Travel Channel, Marie, Extra and Oprah as a travel expert. She co-hosted Dangerous and Endangered for ESPN plus World's Funniest Moments and 10 seasons of American Adventurer with Erik Estrada. They reunite for the 11th year hosting the Hollywood Christmas Parade.



MONTEL WILLIAMS

Montel Williams earned his media celebrity status as an inspirational Emmy Award winning television personality whom Americans invited into their homes for more than 17 years. He is a decorated former naval officer, inspirational speaker, bestselling author, entrepreneur and advocate for patients worldwide. Shortly after being diagnosed with Multiple Sclerosis, Williams established the Montel Williams MS Foundation to further the scientific study of MS and educate the public. He also works with researchers and the U.S. Army with the hopes of helping soldiers who have experienced blast-related traumatic brain injuries.



ELIZABETH STANTON

Elizabeth Stanton has been a world traveler her entire life and currently hosts the multi-award winning syndicated television series Elizabeth Stanton's Great Big World, now in its fifth season. She also stars in the Emmy nominated sitcom, This Just In, on POP-TV, and is the host of Celebrity Moments on POPSTAR! Radio. You'll see Elizabeth this holiday season co-hosting POPSTAR!'s Best of 2019! on The CW Network.

Thank You!

We would like to thank everyone involved in making The Hollywood Christmas Parade possible.













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TIMELINE



Major Bill Hendricks, **USMCR founds Toys** for Tots in Los Angeles, California. 5,000 toys were collected and distributed to less fortunate in 1947.



The Marine Corps Reserve Toys for **Tots Program** continues to grow, as does public support.



1980

The original Toys for Tots unit **Mobilization Training** Unit (MTU) CA-16 (Los Angeles Public Affairs), took on the responsibility of collecting, transporting, and distributing toys to the Navajo Nation.



1991

Secretary of Defense authorized the Marine Corps to recognize and work with the Marine Toys for Tots Foundation. In September, the Marine Toys for Tots Foundation became an operational.



1995

Marine Toys for Tots Program collects over 8,100,000 toys and distributed them to over 4,200,000 underprivileged children.



1996

Commander, Marine Forces Reserve expands Toys for Tots to cover all 50 states by authorizing selected Marine Corps League Detachments and selected

Local Community Organizations (generally veteran Marines).



Having served with the Foundation since its creation in 1991, Major Bill Grein, USMC (Ret), Mr. Toys for Tots, stepped down as Vice President of Marketing & Development.



On 27 November the President & CEO participated in the 8th Annual "Hollywood Christmas Parade featuring Marine Toys for Tots".



Toys for Tots achieved astounding results and delivered an unprecedented 24.4 million toys, books, and games to 9.9 million children.

2017

2022

Parade Concert

The Hollywood Christmas Parade Concert is one of the parade highlights, featuring some of the world's most iconic musicians and celebrities of all time. You never know what special guests might just show up in a truly one-of-a-kind event!



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CLAY AIKEN

Clay Aiken most recently joined forces with friend and fellow American Idol Ruben Studdard for a highly anticipated North American, 82-date concert tour, reuniting the pair twenty years after their appearance on the show. Clay starred on Broadway in Ruben & Clay's First Annual Christmas Carol Family Fun Pageant Spectacular Reunion Show at the Imperial Theater. The New York Times called the production 'A Christmas Miracle'. This came ten years after Clay's critically lauded Broadway debut in Monty Python's Spamalot. Catapulting to fame on season two of American Idol, he became the first Idol alum in history to have his first single debut at #1 on Billboard's Hot 100 chart, to have a single certified platinum and to have an album certified triple platinum. For more information, visit www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.org



GAY MEN'S CHORUS OF LOS ANGELES

GAY MEN'S CHORUS OF LOS ANGELES (GMCLA), under the leadership of Executive Director & Producer Lou Spisto and Music Director & Conductor Ernest H. Harrison, is in its 46th year of music and service. GMCLA continues to garner acclaim for artistic excellence while remaining deeply rooted in service to the Los Angeles community and beyond by promoting civil rights, tolerance, and acceptance through music. Founded in 1979 during the emergence of the gay rights movement, GMCLA spreads its message of love and acceptance with concerts across the globe and has raised its collective voice in the movement toward equality, social justice, the fight against the AIDS crisis, the fight for marriage equality, and all those seeking to find their own voice. GMCLA's free community concert program has provided access to concerts to tens of thousands over the decades, and its research-based education programs have served over 90,000 young people throughout the Los Angeles region. In December 2023, GMCLA brought its beloved holiday concert to the Saban Theatre with Hooray for Holidays and returned in March 2024 with the pop-explosion We Love Boy Bands! For more information, visit www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.org



LAURA BRYNA

With the arrival of her fierce and fiery single "Jawbreaker" in fall 2022, Laura Bryna kicked off a bold new era of her extraordinary career. A wildly catchy anthem full of sass, swagger, and so much heart, "Jawbreaker" spotlights Bryna's larger-than-life energy and powerhouse voice like never before, echoing the unapologetic freedom she's recently discovered in her songwriting. For the latest turn in a whirlwind journey that's included sharing stages with superstars like Taylor Swift and legends like Emmylou Harris—and making an indelible impact as a U.S. Air National Guard spokesperson, humanitarian, radio host, and children's book author—Bryna is now gearing up to share a body of work that blurs genres and bends the rules all in the name of a good time. For more information, visit www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.org



MELINDA LINDNER

Melinda Lindner is a twin pug mom, an ex-collegiate tennis player with a fierce backhand and volley. But wait - there's more......she sings! And recently, the attention she has been getting from her singing is incredible! Melinda's latest record, "Even Now" written by Barry Manilow & Marty Panzer is currently #15 on the Billboard Pop/AC Chart and #11 at Mediabase. It has had over 4.5 million total streams from audio and video! For Christmas 2023 her version of "White Christmas" was Top 20 on the Billboard Pop/AC Chart and Holiday Chart. Her Christmas songs have had over 10 million total streams from audio and video. During the past several months - she has had over 38.5 million total streams on YouTube, Instagram, TikTok, Spotify and others.



WICKED, the Broadway sensation, looks at what happened in the Land of Oz...but from a different angle. Long before Dorothy arrives, there is another young woman, born with emerald-green skin—smart, fiery, misunderstood, and possessing an extraordinary talent. When she meets a bubbly blonde who is exceptionally popular, their initial rivalry turns into the unlikeliest of friendships...until the world decides to call one "good," and the other one "wicked."

From the first electrifying note to the final breathtaking moment, *WICKED*—the untold true story of the Witches of Oz—transfixes audiences with its wildly inventive story and is on it's way to the Hollywood Pantages Theatre beginning December 4th through February 2nd.

Marching Bands, Dance Groups, and Pageantry

Marching Bands, Dance Groups, and Pageantry come to Hollywood and experience their star treatment as they march down the biggest red carpet in the world. Bands are a major highlight of the parade and include local, national and international musicians!

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The 501st Legion



The 501st Legion is an international costuming organization dedicated to celebrating Star Warsthrough the creation and use of high quality screen accurate costumes that portray the villainous, morally ambiguous, or non-partisan characters from the Star Wars universe. The Legion promotes interest in Star Wars and facilitates the use of these costumes for Star Wars-related events as well as contributes to the local community through costumed charity and volunteer work. For more information, visit www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.org

Lit Riderz



"We are a bicycle club based out of Los Angeles, established in 2022. Combined, our bikes and sound trailers are lit with more than 100,000 LEDs, and 15,000 watts of synchronized audio. Our mission is to promote safe cycling at night, while putting smiles on people's faces. We are the Lit Riderz, and we love to light up the night!" For more information, visit www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.org

Los Angeles Ghostbusters



Established in 2021, the Los Angeles Ghostbusters were founded on the idea of "fandom with purpose". Partnering with charities like Starlight has allowed us to raise over \$70,000 through independent, grassroots campaigns to provide toys, games and hospital gowns to children struggling in hospitals right here in L.A. – and across the nation! For more information, visit www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.org

PAVA



PAVAKorean Traditional Band is dressed in traditional Korean costumes and play ethnic instruments, perform traditional dances, and wave traditional flags. The band seeks to bridge the gap between different cultures through the arts, specifically Korean traditional arts. Since Korean culture may be unfamiliar to Korean Americans and others in the world, PAVA World is an excellent opportunity for the band participants, as well as the viewers, to get acquainted to Korean culture through its traditional arts. For more information, visit www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.org

KAYPA



KAYPA, Korean American Youth Performing Artists, is a non-profit organization and is rooted in Pomona, Southern California. Our Organization focuses on enriching our community through Korean traditional dance and modern K-pop dances. KAYPA provides its members the opportunity to further educate themselves about their Korean heritage through dance, as well as share their culture with others. For more information, visit www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.org

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FLAG-WAVERS AND MUSICIANS GROUP OF FAENZA -RAVENNA- ITALY

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Owner and founder, Nate Truman has brought together the world's largest street legal collection of famous vehicles from the movies and TV. Nate's team has been bringing smiles to charity events all over Southern California since 2003. See the whole vehicle line up at StarCarCentral. com or follow StarCarCentral.com International on Facebook. For more information, visit www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.org

Congratulations Hollywood Christmas Parade on your 92nd Anniversary!

Congratulations Marine Toys for Tots on your 77th Anniversary!

Happy Holidays!



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3 Wheel Family



Mozzuz Glen Smith is an African American Entrepreneur who resides in Los Angeles, and is the owner of Madik Apparel, a company specializing in Apparel promotion. Over the last 30 years, Mozzuz has participated in countless non-profit activities, offering his insightful and caring attention to those organizations helping others. He is pleased to be participating, once again, in the annual Hollywood Christmas Parade. For more information, visit www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.org

Assyrians of Los Angeles



The Assyrians of Los Angeles are a vibrant community dedicated to preserving and celebrating the rich cultural heritage of one of the world's oldest civilizations. Hailing from Ancient Mesopotamia, the Cradle of Civilization, the Assyrians have made significant contributions to human history in areas such as astronomy, engineering, and literature. Today, the Assyrians of Los Angeles continue to thrive just as their ancestors did, making significant contributions to the community in fields such as medicine, law, business, education, and the arts. Proudly representing their heritage, this group is known for its stunning, authentic attire and its commitment to preserving centuries-old traditions. For more information, visit www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.org

Mini Jet Air Force



The Mini Jet Air Force is in its 26 year of operation serving children with life threatening illnesses and disabilities by giving them riding experiences in the Mini Jets. For more information, visit www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.org

Blue Eagles Total Force Honor Guard



The Blue Eagles Total Force Honor Guard from March Air Reserve Base a distinguished unit performs ceremonial honors for our fallen servicemen, and presentation of colors at special events. For more information, visit www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.org

Road Squadron



Founded in 1999 by Obi-Shawn Crosby, "Road Squadron" started as a small handful of rag-tag Star Wars tribute cars. Now grown to 350 builders around the United States and featuring creations inspired by many science-fiction and pop-culture film franchises, Road Squadron has used their vehicles to bring awareness and assistance to more than 200 charity organizations through thousands of visits over 25 years. For more information, visit www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.org

Slingshot



Slingshot celebrates the spirit of adventure on the open road! This three-wheeled marvel turns heads everywhere it goes. It's not a car, and it's not a motorcycle - it's the ultimate blend of both, offering a whole new way to experience the thrill of driving. Slingshot lets you feel every turn, every breeze, and every beat of the city with the road below and the sky above. For more information, visit www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.org



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Viva Panama Organization (VPO) is a non-profit organization dedicated to preserving, presenting, and promoting Panama's culture. For the past 33 years, VPO has taken pride in the cultural richness and the warmth of our people within the multicultural community of Southern California and beyond. Founded in 1991 and guided by the slogan "sharing the culture of Panama with the world," VPO is committed to representing and promoting Panama and its culture internationally. For more information, visit www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.org

Victory Outreach Hollywood Church



Victory Outreach International began in 1967 with founders Sonny and Julie Arguinzoni. It has grown from one church in East Los Angeles into a global ministry with over 500 ministries in 35 countries. Since 1967, they've equipped men and women to reach their full potential in life by planting churches, preparing specialists for the mission field, and helping families in need. For more information, visit www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.org

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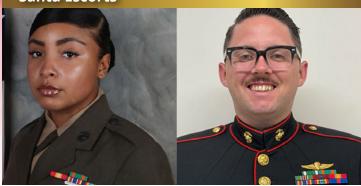


Marine Color Guard



Corporal Kenny Torres is currently assigned to 2d Battalion 23d Marines 4th Marine Division Pasadena, California. He is from From Lynwood, CA. **Sergeant Justin M. Calderon** is currently assigned to 2d Battalion 23d Marines 4th Marine Division. Pasadena, California. He is From Los Angeles, CA. **Sergeant** Colby M. Holstein is currently assigned to 2d Battalion 23d Marines 4th Marine Division Pasadena California. He is From Charleston, WV. Corporal Juan C. Perez is currently assigned to 2d Battalion 23d Marines 4th Marine Division Pasadena, California. He is From Bronx, NY. For more information, visit

Santa Escorts



Gunnery Sergeant Seth F. Kornely is currently assigned to 3d Air Naval Gunfire Liaison Company, Bell California. He is from Manitowoc, Wisconsin. Sergeant Jazmin Camacho is currently assigned to Recruiting Station Orange County at RSS Fullerton Ca. She is from Turlock, CA. For more information, visit www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.org

Marine Drum Major



Gunnery Sergeant Wesley O. Hayes is currently assigned to Marine Band San Diego Headquarters and Service Battalion San Diego, CA. He is from Pontotoc, Mississippi. For more information, visit www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.org

San Diego Marine Band



Sgt. Caesar, Mascot 1/5 Vietnam Veterans



Young Marines



The Young Marines is a national non-profit 501c (3) youth education and service program for boys and girls, aged eight through high school graduation. The Young Marines promotes the mental, moral and physical development of its members. The program focuses on teaching the values of leadership, teamwork and self-discipline, so its members can live and promote a healthy, drug-free lifestyle. The Young Marines strengthens the lives of America's youth by teaching the importance of self-confidence, academic achievement, honoring our veterans, good citizenship, community service, and living a healthy, drug-free lifestyle. The Young Marines promotes the mental, moral, and physical development of its members. The program focuses on character building and leadership and promotes a lifestyle that is conducive to being productive members of society. For more information, visit www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.org



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Annika Noelle

Annika Noelle plays Hope Logan, the kind and giving daughter of Brooke Logan (portrayed by original cast member Katherine Kelly Lang) on *The Bold and the Beautiful*. Annika grew up in the suburbs of Boston, Massachusetts and fell in love with performing at a young age. She spent her early career on stage at the Geffen Playhouse and the Kennedy Center. Her film & television work includes Clint Eastwood's Jersey Boys, a recurring role as Abbi on ABC Family's Chasing Life, and starring opposite Sean Astin & JoBeth Williams in the television movie, Love's Christmas Journey. Follow her on Instagram at @annikanoelle. For more information, visit www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.org



Art Edmonds

Art Edmonds is a TV host, spokesperson, and voiceover talent with over 20 years of experience. He is currently best known as the co-host of the TV series Military Makeover with Monter. Since the show's inception, Edmonds teamed with the late, great R.Lee Ermey, famed character actor and veteran, to give a complete home makeover to a deserving wounded U.S. veteran and his family. Now Art serves on the series alongside talk show legend and prominent veteran advocate Montel Williams to give back to our service men and women. Art's prominent narration credits includes three seasons on the Nat Geo Wild top-rated series Swamp Men for three seasons, docudrama series Planet Xtreme on The Weather Channel and two seasons on the Nat Geo Wild series Dr. K's Exotic Animal ER. For more information, visit www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.org



Gregori Martin

Gregori J. Martin is a 2x Daytime Emmy® Award winning director, a 5x Daytime Emmy® Award-winning producer and a 5x Emmy® nominated writer. Best known as the creator, writer, director, and showrunner of his 23x Daytime Emmy® Award winning and 64x Daytime Emmy® nominated multi-camera daytime drama series The Bay. Seen on multiple platforms including Popstar TVI, Tubi, Peacock, Amazon Prime, and more both domestically and internationally. In addition to The Bay he was Emmy nominated for the Pop TV family sitcom This Just In, he is currently working as a writer on the highly anticipated new CBS Daytime Drama Series Beyond The Gates premiering February 24th, 2025. For more information, visit www.thehollywoodchristmsapparade.org



Deidre Hall

Deidre Hall is an icon in the world of television, both daytime and primetime. Having performed in over 5,000 episodes as the beautiful, wise, and sometimes even demonic (literally and figuratively) Dr. Marlena Evans on Days of Our Lives since originating the role in 1976. Hall has been adored by fans worldwide for generations as one of the world's most recognized and filmed faces. Deidre became the first performer ever to star in both daytime and primetime series when she was cast as Jesse Witherspoon in NBC's family drama, Our House, for which she earned two nominations for People's Choice Awards and two consecutive nominations as Best Actress by Viewers for Quality Television. Co-starring with Wilford Brimley, they won the first Viewers for Quality Television "Seal of Approval" for a television show. For more information, visit www.thehollvwoodchristmasparade.org



Jennifer Bertrand

Jennifer Bertrand is best known as the minner of HGTV's popular series Design Star, drawing over 5-million viewers thanks in her no-nonsense, accessible approach to making positive and impactful design changes without breaking the bank. After taking the competition by storm, Jennifer moved on to host her own show, Paint Over! with Jennifer Bertrand, featuring families in transition and in desperate need of help. Bertrand currently is the designer on the series Military Makeover with Montel®, airing on Lifetime TV and the American Forces Network, and has appeared in countless media outlets such as USA Today, The New York Post, Rachel Ray Magazine, Life & Style Magazine, InStyle Magazine and is a frequent contributor to NBC. For more information, visit www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.org



Jet Velocity Holiday All Star Band

The Jet Velocity Holiday All Star Band is a super high energy celebrity band returning this year for the 92nd Annual Hollywood Christmas Parade supporting Marine Toys for Tots! The band is led by the songwriting team of guitar player & singer Jason Ebs (Peter Criss & SWAGGERMOUTH) & the soulful-singing Janea Chadwick Ebs (Joe Cocker & SWAGGERMOUTH). This year's line-up features Stephen Perkins from Jane's Addiction on Drums, Adam Kury from Candlebox on Bass, Teddy Zig-Zag Andreadis from Slash's Blues Ball on Keyboards and vocals, Roberta Freeman from Guns & Roses on backing vocals, Anne King from Billi Eilish on Trumpet, and Scott Page from Pink Floyd on Saxophone. For more information, visit www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.org



John Schneider

John's extensive acting career includes the iconic roles of Bo Duke on The Dukes of Hazzard, Jonathan Kent on Smallville and Jim Cryer on Tyler Perry's The Haves and the Have Nots, along with recurring appearances on Dr. Quinn, Medicine Woman, Nip/Tuck, The Secret Life of the American Teenager, Dancing with the Stars, and most recently, The Masked Singer. As an independent filmmaker, John continues to write, direct and star in his own movies, including Christmas Cars (2019), Stand On It (2020), Poker Run (2021) and To Die For (2022). In addition to his incredible acting career, John has over 20 albums to his credit and five #1 singles on the Billboard Country chart. It's also worth noting that John co-founded (with Marie Osmond) the Children's Miracle Network Hospitals, which has raised more than \$8.5 billion for 170 children's hospitals throughout the United States. For more information, www.thejohnschneider.com and www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.org



Kate Linder

Kate Linder was cast as Esther Valentine on *The Young and the Restless* over 42 years ago in April 1982 and her first airdate was April 16th. She had an exhibit commemorating her 40th Anniversary on the show at The Hollywood Museum for an entire year! Linder also remains a key member of the top-rated daytime drama's cast. In April 2008, Linder received a star on the Hollywood Walk of Fame. Linder currently serves as the Television Academy's Governor of the Performers Peer Group and was previously elected to two terms as the Governor of the Daytime Programming Peer Group. She was also elected to multiple terms as a SAG-AFTRA board member. In 2023, Linder's character crossed over to sister soap opera, *The Bold and the Beautiful*, for a weeklong storyline arc. *For more information, visit www.thehollwwoodchristmasparade, or*



Lauren Lyster

Lauren Lyster is an Emmy Award-winning journalist who is coanchor of the KTLA 5 Weekend Morning News and a reporter for the station. A Southern California native, she's proud to cover the issues that matter to the community most. Since 2017 at KTLA, she has covered major news from wildfires to mudslides and mass shootings, doing in-depth stories on issues such as homelessness and sit-down interviews with elected officials like the governor. For more information, visit www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.org



Lawrence Saint-Victor

Lawrence Saint-Victor portrays Carter Walton, the handsome and trusted lawyer and COO for the Forrester family and their haute fashion house, Forrester Creations. In addition to his decade of acting on the show, Saint-Victor joined the writing team for The Bold and the Beautiful in 2015. Saint-Victor's other television credits include the voice of "Mad Dog" in the Netflix Anime hit Scissor 7, All About the Washingtons, and Zoe Ever After, Guiding Light, and guest-star roles on For Better or Worse, Ugly Betty, Law & Order: SVU, and The History Channel's Honor Deferred. For more information, visit www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.org



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Lou Ferrigno

Lou Ferrigno is an American actor, fitness icon, and former professional bodybuilder, best known for portraying the titular character in the classic TV series *The Incredible Hulk* (1977–1982). Bornon November 9, 1951, in Brooklyn, New York, Ferrigno overcame significant hearing loss from childhood to achieve global recognition. Ferrigno faced bullying and challenges growing up but turned adversity into strength. Inspired by comic book heroes and bodybuilder Steve Reeves, he began lifting weights at age 13, channeling his passion into building both physical and mental resilience. *For more information, visit www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.org*



Marty York

Marty York was born on August 23rd 1980 in Auburn CA. A woman named Nelda discovered him at an elementary school play and asked his mother if he would be interested in doing plays at the local community theater where he would learn his chops on stage and find his passion and love for acting. After starring in numerous plays Nelda recommended his mother take him to Hollywood to try his hand in the television and film industry. His aunt lived in Los Angeles and worked as a background performer casting director and put Marty and his mother in a film with the late great Jon Candy called, Delirious. When the director yelled cut Marty did Jon Candys lines to his mother and Jon walked over and said, "that's pretty good kid" where he signed his autograph on a piece of toilet paper and gave Marty's mother a number to a talent agent. For more information, visit www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.org



Megan Telles

Megan Telles co-anchors the KTLA 5 Weekend Morning News. She joined the station in September 2018. She is excited to return home to Southern California and join the KTLA family. Megan comes to KTLA from KXTV in Sacramento, where she anchored Morning Blend for two years. Born in West Covina and raised in Rancho Cucamonga, Megan is a self-described "army brat," given her father's 21 years of service in the United States Army. Megan has called Wiesbaden, Germany; Fort Rucker, Alabama; and Savannah, Georgia, "home" and takes pride in being able to still count to 10 in German. For more information, visit www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.org



Nancy Davis

Nancy Davis was born and raised in Denver, Colorado. In 1987, she moved to California and now resides in Los Angeles with he husband and children. She is a dedicated philanthropist, jewelry and clothing designer, and author. Most importantly, she is a full-time mother and raised her five children with incredible devotion. Nancy was diagnosed with multiple sclerosis at the age of 33 in 1991. After being told by her doctors that she would be "lucky" to operate a remote control on her TV, she realized she was too young and too busy to let the disease stop her life in its tracks. She was determined to devote her time, relationships, and resources to finding a cure. Nancy has tremendous hope, courage, and strength, and is tireless in her efforts to find a cure for MS in her lifetime. For more information, visit www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.org



Nicole Eggert

Nicole Eggert is a beloved actress and producer, best known for her iconic roles on *Baywatch* and *Charles in Charge* and recently *After Baywatch* that you can stream on Hulu or Disney+. With a career spanning over four decades, Nicole has been a fixture on both television and film, captivating audiences with her versatility and charisma. Beyond acting, she's an advocate for health awareness and community outreach, often dedicating her time to causes close to her heart. A California native, Nicole continues to work in entertainment while producing and co-hosting her Perfectly Twisted Podcast, bringing her warm personality and unique insights to fans around the world. For more information, visit www.thehollwoodchristmasparade.org



Shane Obedzinski

Shane Obedzinski began acting at just three years old, landing a variety of roles before his breakout performance as Tommy "Repeat" Timmons in the beloved 90s film The Sandlot. Today, Shane resides in Tampa, FL, where he owns and operates a popular local restaurant. Alongside his entrepreneurial pursuits, he remains active in acting and serves as a board member for the nonprofit charity Play Forever, dedicated to supporting youth sports and community programs. Shane continues to inspire fans of *The Sandlot* and new audiences alike through his ongoing commitment to both his craft and his community. For more information, visit www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.org



Robert Luna

Robert G. Luna was elected as the 34th Los Angeles County Sheriff on November 8, 2022. Sheriff Luna commands the largest Sheriff's Department in the United States, with nearly 18,000 budgeted sworn and professional staff. In 2021, Sheriff Luna completed his service as Long Beach Chief of Police, capping a 36-year career at the Long Beach Police Department, the county's second largest police department. For more information visit www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.org



Vargas Dynasty

The Vargas Dynasty is one of the most notable & dynamic families in boxing. Fernando Vargas Sr. holds the titles to 1966 US Olympian & 3x World Champion. He raised his sons in the sport of boxing as they hold their own notariety with Fernando Vargas Jr. being 15-0 with 14 KO's, Emiliano Vargas is 12-0 with 10 KO's, & Amado Vargas 11-0 with 5 KO's. The family's Holiday Traditions are well under way this season with The Hollywood Christmas Parade. For more information, visit www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.org



Raven-Symoné

Raven-Symoné is the host of The CWs upcoming original game show SCRABBLE. Raven has been a household name and a fan favorite for most of her life. She commands an iconic Hollywood career as a multi-hyphenate actor, singer, producer, and director. Most recently she starred, executive produced, and directed the self-titled and critically acclaimed bisney Channel series, Raven's Home, which ran for 6 seasons. This series was a welcomed return to the Disney family after her long run as a teenager on That's So Raven, which marked the first time in the Disney Schannel's history that a Black woman starred in a self-titled comedy series. At age 19, Raven-Symoné was named producer of the series, which won four NAACP Image Awards, two Nickelodeon Kids' Choice Awards, and a Primetime Ernmy Award nomination for Outstanding Children's Program, during its successful run. For more information visit www.thehollwoodchristmasparade.org (Gettl vinaces)



James Tupper

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Jim Hill

One of the nation's most respected sports anchors. Jim Hill has been a fixture on CBS 2 in Los Angeles for more than 30 years. He appears on the station's weekday 6 and 11 p.m. newscasts and hosts the weekend editions of "Sports Central" – Southern California's most comprehensive sports newscast. For more information, visit www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.org



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Ryan Griffin

What leads to a powerful career in country music is not solely pure talent, that of which Red Street Records' artist Ryan Griffin has a plethora, but also an honest voice and a fearless attitude. Growing up on a farm, learning unparalleled lessons of hard work, Ryan simultaneously developed his passion for country music. At the young age of seventeen, he brought his unwavering determination to Nashville and hit the ground running. From co-writing Kelsea Ballerini's #1 hit song "Dibs" to opening for major acts like Lady A and Old Dominion, Griffin has paved the way for his own music story. For more information, visit www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.org

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Jennifer Stolo

Jennifer's storied career spans nearly 30 years in executive nonprofit and association management with experience in early childhood education, foster care, disabilities and differences, healthcare, and children with critical illnesses. She has led large statewide initiatives and multi-milliondollar campaigns for California Boys Town and the California Dental Association Foundation. Jennifer most recently devoted ten years to Make-A-Wish as the President & CEO of the Northeastern & Central California and Northern Nevada chapter, leading the 45-county organization to grant more than 400 wishes per year and growing revenue from \$2 million to \$10 million dollars annually. For more information, visit www. thehollywoodchristmasparade.org

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William Baldwin

William Baldwin has distinguished himself as an actor/ producer/writer who continues to showcase his multitude of talents in the world of film and television. Baldwin has a busy year ahead, starring in several high-profile upcoming projects -having traveled the world in Rome, Bari, Paris, Bangkok, Belgrade, Kosovo, Albania, Atlanta, and Bozeman, MT, shooting in back-to-back productions. For more information, visit www. thehollywoodchristmasparade.org

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AC Green

AC Green, an iconic professional basketball player with the Los Angeles Lakers, has long been a symbol of resilience and discipline. During Green's stellar NBA career, he played for the Lakers during their legendary "Showtime" era in the 1980s alongside Magic Johnson, Kareem Abdul-Jabbar, and James Worthy, earning him a place as one of the all-time greats in basketball history. He also played with Shaquille O'Neal and Kobe Bryant, winning NBA championships three times (1987, 1988, and 2000). When Green retired from professional basketball, he transitioned into entrepreneurship, rising to prominence in the food and beverage industry. His commitment to promoting a healthy lifestyle—something that defined his NBA career—continues to guide his business ventures today. For more information visit www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.org



Tanisha Harper

Tanisha, born in Tokyo, Japan, began her career with FORD Models and has since become an accomplished model, television host, writer, and actress. With a bachelor's degree in media arts and marketing from the University of Arizona, she transitioned from the fashion industry into entertainment, hosting, writing, and co-producing award-winning content. As an actress, Tanisha has appeared in television commercials and films, with credits including Forgetting Sarah Marshall, Dear White People, Hacks, Dollface, and General Hospital. For more information, visit www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.org



Susan Seaforth Hayes

Susan Seaforth Hayes received a Lifetime Achievement Emmy from the National Academy of Television Arts and Sciences in 2018 for excellence in Acting in Daytime. Best known for the role of Julie Williams on Days of our Lives, there's more to her long career than afternoon delight, and six Emmy® nominations for leading and supporting actress. At age four Susan debuted in Madam Butterfly with the Metropolitan Opera. Around eight, she played Queen Elizabeth the First on NBC's landmark Hallmark Hall of Fame. Teen years saw her frequently gracing NBC's Matinee Theater on the same stages where she works today. For more information, visit www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.org



Kym Whitley

Kym Whitley is a multi-talented entertainer, rich with humor and heart. Kym received a Daytime Emmy® nomination for her role as Candi Lewis on *The Bay.* As an actress, author, comedian, and multi-award-winning podcaster, namely the 2023 Signal Award winner for her Audible podcast *Kym*, and the impressive, two-time NAACP Image Award-winner for *Two Funny Mamas*, Kym has proven her versatility and ability to captivate audiences across multiple mediums. Whitley's latest roles in Bounce TV's (recently acquired by Netflix), most-watched half-hour series *Act Your Age*, and the palpable magic created with writer-producer Lena Waithe on the Audible series aptly titled *Kym*— is loosely based on Whitley's life, which offers audiences an authentic perspective through storytelling, while uplifting the beauty of family. *For more information, visit www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.or*



Michael Cooper

Drafted out of New Mexico by the Lakers in the third round of the 1978 NBA Draft (60th overall), "Coop" became an integral part of the Showtime Lakers teams of the 1980s with his defensive skills. In a twelve-year career, he was named to eight NBA All Defensive Teams, including five First Teams. He won the NBA Defensive Player of the Year Award in 1987. He, along with Kareem Abdul-Jabbar and Magic Johnson, was a member of five Lakers championship teams in 1980, 1982, 1987 and 1988. Cooper is the only person to win a championship, as either a coach or a player, in the NBA, WNBA, and the NBA D-League. In 2024 he was inducted into the Naismith Basketball Hall of Fame. For more information, visit www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.org



TLK Fusion



Oksana Perepadia

"My name is Oksana Perepadia. I am originally from Ukraine. I am an actress and a model. I participated in the beauty pageant "Mrs European Universe 2024" and I am very happy about it. After my victory, taking 1st place as a beauty queen, I visited many red carpets, metropolitan fashion shows, walked the catwalk of designer David Tupaz at LA Fashion Week and met many other incredible designers. My dream is to become a successful actress. My school with its incredible support helps in this. Thanks to Brian Cutler and, of course, special thanks to Gennady Kotlyarchuk for his project, in which I had the honor to take part. I wish all the girls to challenge themselves and go for their dreams." For more information, visit www.thehol/woodchristmasparade.org



Aliya Frederick - Ms. Global Icon

Dr. Aliya Frederick is a dedicated Pediatric Neurologist in Southern California, fulfilling alifelongdream she first envisioned at an early age. With unwavering commitment, Dr. Frederick earned both her medical degree and Ph.D. from Vanderbilt University, followed by specialized residency and fellowship training at UC San Diego and Rady Children's Hospital, where she now serves as faculty, training and mentoring the next generation of physicians. She is Board Certified in Neurology and Psychiatry with Special Qualifications in Child Neurology and Clinical Neurophysiology. For more information, visit www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.org



Nina Svet

The world of fashion and beauty celebrates the coronation of Nina Svet as Mrs European Universe 2023, a title that solidifies her status as one of the most accomplished and influential figures of her generation. From her stunning appearances on the runways of Milan, New York, and Paris Fashion Weeks to her prominent presence on billboards in Los Angeles, Nina Svet's impact is undeniable. She has graced campaigns for leading brands, showcasing her versatility and timeless beauty. For more information, visit www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.org



Andrea Roberts - Elite Global Icon

Andrea Roberts, age 54, is a mother to 5 children and has been married to her husband for 31 years. She is a dancer and has owned her own dance studio and gymnasium for 31 years. She loves to serve in her community and mentor youth in any capacity! She is an advocate for the charity "Dancers Against Cancer" and continues to raise money through her dance studio and community multiple times a year. She produces an annual benefit called "Dance Your Heart Out" each year, as well. She loves pageantry to encourage young people to make a difference in other people's lives as well as their own, by gaining confidence, improving health and fitness, and using your title to raise awareness for a cause... For more information, visit www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.org

Genesis Gold



Caitlin Caraballo - Ms. U.S. Global Icon

Caitlin Caraballo is a surgical and cosmetic dentist practicing in Los Angeles, CA. Beside specializing in Invisalign, veneers, and smile makeovers, Dr. Caitlin has become one of the youngest, female implantologist and licensed sedation doctors in Southern California. She has helped pageant women transform their smiles and enhance their confidence. Caitlin works internationally to give all people access to dental care with The Flying Samaritans— a nonprofit organization providing dentistry to remote communities in Mexico. For more information, visit www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.org



Tanisha Harper

Julie Delgadillo is a non-profit Executive Leader at St. Vincent Meals on Wheels, an Award-Winning and Sought-After Mentor and Confidence Coach. Julie is committed to helping individuals step into their power to lead with confidence. Julie has personally coached and developed teens and women from across the globe and serves as an International Ambassador for the economic development and empowerment of women and girls. With over 15 years of pageant experience, Julie has held multiple local, state, national, and international titles. She's has also had the privilege of creating, producing, and judging various pageants throughout the U.S. and Mexico. When she is not out conquering the world, you can find her discovering new brunch spots, listening to audiobooks, or in the aisles of TJ Maxx, Marshall's, or HomeGoods. For more information, visit www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.org



Nilaja Aranmolate - Teen Regency International

Nilaja is an accomplished undergraduate student at the University of California Los Angeles (UCLA), pursuing her passion for screen acting at the prestigious School of Theater, Film, and Television. Prior to attending UCLA, she graduated from the San Diego School of Creative and Performing Arts (SDSCPA), where she majored in Theater. With a strong academic focus, Nilaja graduated in the top 3% of her class with a 4.6 GPA and earned various honors, including induction into the National Society of High School Scholars and recognition as a Golden Pyramid Scholar by the San Diego Unified School District. For more information, visit www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.org



lames Preston

James Preston plays Nick Myers on the Emmy® Award winning series The Bay. James has appeared as a guest star on several popular series, including CBS's Blue Bloods and CSI: NY. He starred in the recurring role of Lukas Ford on ABC's prime time drama The Gates, opposite Frank Grillo and more recently as the antagonist in the Hallmark feature film Aloha With Love. His film The Plastic Men was acquired by Glass House Distribution for a 2025 worldwide release. For more information, visit www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.org



Isabel Fulmer – Jr Teen Global Icon

Isabel Fulmer is a 14-year-old freshman in high school hailing from the picturesque town of Covina Hills. Isabel is not your average teenager, she's a true enthusiast with a passion for adventure and diverse interests. When she's not conquering the slopes snowboarding, wakeboarding, or mastering her skills on a skateboard or surfboard, you'll find her crafting exquisite nail designs or fearlessly riding quads. Beyond her impressive list of hobbies, Isabel is a dedicated advocate for change. She's been recognized by both the mayor and her school district for her outstanding work with her platform, Empire Kids. For more information visit www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.org



Kristos Andrews

Multiple Emmy® award-winning Actor Kristos Andrews won the prestigious award several times for his duo roles as Bay City hero Pete Garrett and British bad boy antagonist Adam Kenway. Andrews was also Emmy® nominated for his role as teen heartthrob Tyler on the POP TV series *This Just In*. He is recognized for his work in many feature motion pictures including the Lionsgate action film *Survive The Game*, opposite Bruce Willis and *Darkness of Man* from the same director, James Cullen Bressack, starring Jean Claude Van Damme. He starred as the lead character in one of Tubi's number one action films *Breakout*, with an all-star cast and has also played leads in a slew of others feature motion pictures available on Netflix, Showtime, Lifetime and more. *For more information, visit www.thehollywoodchristmasparade.org*



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